



PATENT APPLICATION  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Scott R. Presnell, Wayne Kindsvogel  
Serial No. : 09/746,375  
Group Art Unit : 1646  
Examiner : Eileen B. O'Hara, Ph.D.  
Filed : December 22, 2000  
For : NOVEL CYTOKINE ZCYTO18  
Date Submitted : May 19, 2003

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 18, 2002 be extended for a period of three months from February 18, 2003 to May 19, 2003.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$465.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

*[Signature]*  
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